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# FOOD FOR PEACE FACT SHEET

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## Food Security Situation\*

- Low food production, poverty and large-scale internal displacement due to conflict threaten Colombians' food security.
- Threats to rural populations by illegal armed groups restrict movement and limit access to markets and agricultural land, and consequently to food and other goods.
- The humanitarian crisis facing Colombia after more than 40 years of conflict makes it one of the countries with the highest level of IDPs in the world. Many who are forced to flee their homes due to conflict do not register as IDPs because they are afraid of being stigmatized or threatened. WFP is addressing the needs of the displaced and vulnerable populations who cannot be reached through government humanitarian and social sector programs.



Map: CIA Factbook

## Total Food for Peace Contributions

Fiscal Year 2011	\$10.3 million	7,500 MT
Fiscal Year 2010	\$9.1 million	8,260 MT
Fiscal Year 2009	\$11.0 million	8,660 MT
Fiscal Year 2008	\$10.6 million	7,680 MT
Fiscal Year 2007	\$4.9 million	4,830 MT
Fiscal Year 2006	\$3.0 million	3,830 MT

## Food for Peace Contribution Breakdown

Partners	FY11		FY10	
	Emergency		Emergency	
	USD in millions	metric tons	USD in millions	metric tons
WFP	\$10.3	7,500	\$9.1	8,260

## Food for Peace Program Details

<b>Awardees:</b>	World Food Program
<b>Targeted Beneficiaries:</b>	530,000 violence-affected people
<b>Current Projects:</b>	Direct distributions to IDPs; livelihood support through food for work and food for training; vulnerable group feeding and emergency school feeding
<b>Project Locations:</b>	Countrywide

\* FY: fiscal year; MT: metric tons; USD: United States Dollar; WFP: World Food Program; IDP: Internally Displaced Person

\*Food Security Situation information provided by the World Food Program as of December, 2010